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In re application of

Confirmation No. 1469

Takeshi SAKAI et al.

Docket No. 00001/F-3511 PT-US

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Examiner S. Wang

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231

THE CONTROL OF THE TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of March 19, 2002.

The fee of \$110.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
- to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- O Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which
  - () is enclosed.
  - () has been previously submitted.

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Respectfully submitted,

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